

**TEXT BOOKS AND SYLLABUS FOR 2020-2021  
FORM – 8**

Subject : English Language

Text Book : New Grammar Magic (8) – Madhuban

Portion :

Ist Term :

- 1) Essay Writing
- 2) Letter Writing (Informal)
- 3) **Comprehension**
- 4) **Notice Writing**
- 5) **Conjunctions**
- 6) **Prepositions**
- 7) **Subject - Verb Agreement**
- 8) **Direct - Indirect Speech**
- 9) **Punctuations**
- 10) **Poster Making**

IInd Term :

- 1) **Essay Writing**
- 2) **Letter Writing (Informal and Formal)**
- 3) **Comprehension**
- 4) **Notice Writing**
- 5) **Active and Passive Voice**
- 6) **Degrees of Comparison**
- 7) **Sentences : Simple, Compound and Complex**
- 8) **Transformation of Sentences**
- 9) **Synthesis of Sentences**
- 10) **Advertisement**

Subject : English Literature

Text Book :

- 1) **English Brook - Reader 8 – Macmillan Education**
- 2) **Pride and Prejudice - Jane Austen – Macmillan Publishers**
- 3) **Four Sherlock Holmes Myteries (Sir Arthur Conan Doyle)  
– Scholastic**

Portion : Ist Term :

Prose :

- 1) **Games of Twilight**
- 2) **My Childhood**
- 3) **The Gift of the Magi**

Poetry :

- 1) **Still I Rise**
- 2) **The Forgotten Ones**

**Pride and Prejudice (Ch. 1 - 22)**

IInd Term :

Prose :

- 1) **The Quest for Freedom**
  - 2) **The Dauntless Daughter of India**
- Unmasking the Mask**

Poetry :

- 1) **The Raven**
- 2) **We Wear the Mask**

**Pride and Prejudice (Ch. 23 - 43)**

**Subject : Hindi**

**Text Book :** वटवृक्ष - हिन्दी पाठ्यपुस्तक - ६ (Harbour Press)

हिन्दी व्याकरण सरस - एवरग्रीन

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- १) इतनी शक्ति हमें देना दाता (कविता)
- २) हार की जीत
- ३) वर्षा समीर (कविता)
- ४) ज्योतिषी का एक दिन
- ५) लखनऊ की गोभी
- ६) एक पिता का पत्र

व्याकरण : काल, वाक्य के प्रकार, अनेक शब्दों के लिए एक शब्द, पर्यायवाची, विलोम, पत्र लेखन, कहानी लेखन, निबंध लेखन, गद्यांश, मुहावरे

**IInd Term :**

- १) मैं सबसे छोटी होऊँ (कविता)
- २) अँधेर नगरी
- ३) द बेस्ट क्लास
- ४) चंद खिलौना लैहों (कविता)
- ५) मेरी जननी
- ६) बेटियाँ हो तो ऐसी

व्याकरण : वाच्य, मुहावरे, लोकोक्तियाँ, अशुद्ध - शुद्ध शब्द और वाक्य, पर्यायवाची, विलोम, पत्र लेखन, कहानी लेखन, निबंध लेखन, गद्यांश

**Subject : Marathi**

**Text Book :** सुलभभारती (इयत्ता ८ वी)

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- १) आम्ही चालवू हा पुढे वारसा (गीत)
- २) मी चित्रकार कसा झालो!
- ३) आपण सारे एक
- ४) आभाळची आम्ही लेकरे (कविता)
- ५) नातवंडास पत्र

**IInd Term :**

- १) संतवाणी (अ) (आ)
- २) माणसातला देव
- ३) आला क्षण (कविता)
- ४) दिनुची कमाल

**Subject : French**

**Text Book : (a) Apprenons le Français**

**(b) G. Mauger**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) France (Facts)
- 2) Writing Skills
- 3) Verbs / Adjectives / Prepositions
- 4) Pronouns
- 5) Negation
- 6) Comparison
- 7) Interrogatives
- 8) Tenses
- 9) Vocabulaire and Expressions
- 10) Selected pages from Text-book

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Nouns and Articles

- 2) Verbs / Adjectives / Prepositions
- 3) Negation
- 4) Comparison
- 5) Tenses
- 6) Pronouns
- 7) Interrogatives
- 8) Vocabulaire and Expressions
- 9) Selected pages from Text-book
- 10) Writing Skills

**Subject : History**

**Text Book : The Trail History and Civics for ICSE Middle School Class 8 – Jayanti Sengupta**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

**History :**

- 1) The Beginning of the Modern World
- 2) The Industrial Revolution and The Rise of Imperialism
- 3) The Age of Revolution
- 4) The American Civil War
- 5) Decline of the Mughal Empire
- 6) Rise of Independent Regional Powers
- 7) Rise of British Power in India
- 8) Expansion of British Power in India

**Civics :**

- 1) The Union Legislature
- 2) The Union Executive

**IInd Term :**

**History :**

- 1) British Politics and Their Impact
- 2) The Revolt of 1857
- 3) Indian Renaissance – Social and Religious Reformers in India
- 4) Rise of Indian Nationalism
- 5) The Indian National Movement (1885 - 1916)
- 6) The Indian National Movement (1917 - 1934)
- 7) The Indian National Movement (1935 - 1947)

**Civics :**

- 1) The Judiciary
- 2) The United Nations
- 3) Specialised Agencies of the UN

**Subject : Geography**

**Text Book : Voyage (Oxford)**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) Population
- 2) Migration
- 3) Urbanisation
- 4) Asia : Location, Area, Political and Physical Features
- 5) Asia : Climate, Natural Vegetation, Forests and Wild Life
- 6) Topographical Maps

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Natural and Man-made Disasters
- 2) Disaster Management
- 3) India : Location, Extent, Political and Physical Features
- 4) India : Climate, Natural Vegetation, Forests and Wild Life
- 5) Human Resources in India

**Subject : Mathematics**

**Text Book : (a) ICSE Mathematics 8 – Frank Educational Aids  
(b) A Number Line (A course in Mathematics)**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) Rational Numbers
- 2) Exponents
- 3) Squares and Square Roots
- 4) Cubes & Cube Roots
- 5) Playing with Numbers
- 6) Set
- 7) Direct and Inverse Variation
- 8) Algebraic Expressions
- 9) Data Handling
- 10) Graphs
- 11) Visualising Solid Shapes

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Commercial Mathematics
- 2) Factorisation
- 3) Linear Equations in One Variable
- 4) Inequations
- 5) Quadrilaterals
- 6) Practical Geometry
- 7) Lines of Symmetry
- 8) Mensuration

**Subject : Physics**

**Text Book : Middle School Physics 8 (Frank Educational Aids)**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) Matter
- 2) Physical Quantities and Measurement
- 3) Force and Pressure
- 4) Energy

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Light Energy
- 2) Heat Transfer
- 3) Sound
- 3) Electricity

**Subject : Chemistry**

**Text Book :**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) Matter and its Composition
- 2) Law of Conservation of Mass
- 3) Physical and Chemical Changes
- 4) Elements, Compounds and Mixtures
- 5) Language of Chemistry
- 6) Chemical Reactions
- 7) Hydrogen

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Language of Chemistry
- 2) Atomic Structure
- 3) Water
- 4) Carbon and Its Compounds

**Subject : Biology**

**Text Book : Concise Biology - Class 8 – Selina**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) Endocrine System
- 2) Circulatory System
- 3) Health and Hygiene
- 4) Reproduction in Plants

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Transport in Plants
- 2) Reproduction in Animals
- 3) Nervous System
- 4) Food Production
- 5) Ecosystem

**Subject : Computer Science**

**Text Book : Computer Studies (Win 7 and MS Office 2010) – Book 8  
(Cordova Publications)**

**Portion :**

**Ist Term :**

- 1) Operating System and Graphic User Interface – Role and Functions
- 2) Algorithms and Flowcharts
- 3) Spreadsheets – Functions and Charts
- 4) Charts in Excel

**IInd Term :**

- 1) Networks
- 2) Introduction to Java and Blue J and Advance
- 3) App Development
- 4) Cloud Technology